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Treaty Reservation Justified Says Grey

British Ambassador Writes Letter to London Times Expressing This View—May Hasten Treaty Settlement

(By United Press)
Washington, Feb. 2.—The letter of Viscount Grey, former British ambassador here, to the London Times in which he said American reservations to the peace treaty were justified from America's point of view, will hasten ratification, it was believed here today.

Senators who favor ratification held that Grey's letter took the ground out from under those members who were against any reservations whatever, and who said the allies would not accept them. It was pointed out that Great Britain, the friend and associate of the United States during the war, expressed through Grey's letter a willingness to accept any of the reservations which have been proposed. His attitude and the fact that he even went so far as to argue in favor of certain American reservations, is expected to strengthen certain of the senators who favor quick ratification on a compromise basis, even if practically all of the Lodge reservations have to be accepted.

Senators today were watching closely for some sign of what the White House thinks of Britain's attitude. President Wilson said all along that he could not accept changes in the treaty or league covenant because he had signed the original document thus promising the allies that it would be accepted by the United States. Grey's letter, it was believed, gives the president an excellent opportunity to change this position if he desires. In fact some of the senators thought that Grey had almost invited him to do so. The ambassador's letter represents the official policy of Great Britain toward American ratification, it was understood here.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Viscount Grey's letter urging that the American reservations to the peace treaty be accepted by the British, was taken today by senators on both sides of the treaty controversy as vindicating their position.

The republicans said Grey has proved what they have contended all along that the allies would accept reasonable American reservations.

just to get the United States into the treaty.

Democrats said Grey's reference to "repudiating signatures," tells the whole story of the president's inability to compromise with senators and justify their stand against Lodge's reservations.

Grey's letter was the general topic among senators today. Some of them expect his influence on the public will speed ratification by causing a flood of letters to senators urging ratification on the ground that it is plain that reservations will not cause any hitch abroad.

It was emphasized, however, by some democrats that Grey spoke as a private individual and while doubtless he made to his government the same recommendations, there is nothing official to show that the government agreed with Grey. Until there is some such intimation democrats will stick to the list of contracts made by their leader, President Wilson, they declared.

Britons Will Respond

WEBB MILLER

(Written for the United Press)
London, Feb. 2.—"Every good Briton will respond to the reasonable appeal of Viscount Grey's letter on British-American relations," the Westminster Gazette today believed.

The Grey letter in which the viscount pleaded for a more sympathetic attitude toward the United States in her fight over the peace treaty and her position toward foreign credits, aroused the widest interest in all circles.

Ask Canada to Modify Leases for Pulp Wood Lands

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 2.—Senator Underwood today introduced a resolution requesting President Wilson to name a commission of five, authorized to negotiate with the Canadian government for the cancellation of restrictive orders in council, which virtually prevents American leases of crown lands in Canada from using timber for wood pulp to make news print paper.

Deportation Hearings

Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—Three alleged members of the Communist party were given deportation hearings before Immigration Inspector Holbrook. Records of hearings will be sent to the secretary of labor for approval and acceptance.

Poultry Farmer Prince Who Has French Profiteers Worried by His Cheap Eggs



When the French market was flooded recently with fresh eggs at remarkably low prices the profiteers were panic-stricken. The cause of their troubles was Prince Louis de Bourbon, descendant of a long line of kings, and a cousin of King Alfonso of Spain. He says that by intelligent poultry farming he succeeded in maintaining hens at a cost of one cent a day. Each of his hens has

laid a minimum of 150 eggs a year. On that basis he can sell eggs at slightly more than two cents apiece and make a good profit. The prince intends to go into poultry farming on a much larger scale than formerly. The photograph shows him with his beautiful wife, the former Miss Beatrice Harrington, who shares his interest in routing the egg profiteers.

ROBERT BEYER



Robert Beyer, German chemist and inventor, was the first adult German to enter Boston since the war. By his own admission he is inventor of one of the ingredients of the German poisonous gases used in the war. He left Boston for Chicago.

Election Fraud Case Opens

Prosecutor Charges That Huge Sums Were Spent Upon Banquets, Entertainments, Liquor, Advertising, Etc.

(By United Press)

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 2.—The government today charged Truman S. Newberry with buying a United States senatorship in a "barrel campaign."

Special Attorney Frank C. Dailey outlined his case at the opening of the court here today, asserting that thousands of dollars used in Newberry's campaign here are not accounted for. He accused Newberry of spending more money than the law permits by using indirect means of pushing his candidacy.

"Much of Newberry's money was spent on banquets, entertainments, liquor and in many instances to pay personal debts," Dailey said.

"When Lieutenant Governor Dickinson exposed the 'barrel campaign' before the primary election, there was scurrying in the Newberry headquarters. County chairmen who had received \$1,000, \$1,200 and \$2,000 were asked to file only \$100, \$150, etc."

Dailey said the scheme to purchase a United States senatorship, was planned by Newberry and his close friend, Frederick Cody, of New York. Cody, he said, was the agent of a number of large corporations. Cody, Dailey charged, was to hire a campaign manager.

J. C. Hayden, Washington correspondent of the Detroit News, was offered the job at \$500 a month, Dailey said.

Hayden rejected the offer, advising Newberry not to run a "barrel campaign," Dailey said.

The aid of the Marx-Oakman political machine in Detroit was sought, according to the statement, and Paul King was made manager of the campaign. Over five hundred newspapers were benefited in the advertising campaign which followed, according to Dailey. Movie films were purchased and remade to serve as Sen. Newberry's propaganda. Dailey claimed Newberry was ranked as lieutenant commander in making of films to stimulate navy recruiting, but really to advance his campaign for the senate.

Violent Earthquake Shocks Recorded

(By United Press)

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Earthquake shocks, covering a period of more than two hours, the most violent for several months, were recorded on the government seismograph at the University of Chicago early today.

The first shock was recorded at 5:42 A. M., becoming more intense at 7:40. The shocks were still continuing, though diminishing in violence, when the record sheet was changed at 8 A. M. Observers were unable to detect the location.

Take Up Treaty Next Monday Lodge Will Ask

By L. C. MARTIN

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Feb. 2.—Senator Lodge today gave formal notice in the senate that on next Monday he will ask a unanimous consent that the senate rules be suspended and the peace treaty taken up.

If unanimous consent is refused, Lodge announced he will move to suspend certain rules.

This is a forecast of Senator Hitchcock, who has announced he will move to take up the treaty Feb. 10.

Democrats Astounded

Washington, Feb. 2.—Senator Lodge's announcement made just after senator met, apparently astounded democratic senators who asked him to repeat it. The surprise was due to the fact that last week Senator Walsh gave notice on behalf of Senator Hitchcock, that they would take up the treaty Feb. 10. Lodge thus forestalled Hitchcock by setting his motion one day ahead of Hitchcock.

"I sincerely hope," said Senator Lodge, in a statement, "that a unanimous consent will not be refused. If it is, I will make the necessary motion."

"Why wait so long?" asked Senator Ashurst, democrat. "Why not tomorrow or the next day?"

"I will say to the senator," Lodge replied, "that I have given that consideration, but many senators will be absent that time, and it is best to wait until Monday."

Senator Lodge's decision was reached after a conference with republicans and a continuation of the record of treaty debate last session.

Long Distance Wireless Telephone Conversation Successfully Carried On

(By United Press)

New York, Feb. 2.—Wireless telephone conversations between Ossining, New York and Chicago, have been successfully carried out during the last thirty days, according to an announcement made by DeForest Latta at High Bridge, a suburb. The conversations were conducted with the use of a small aerial low wave length and power of only one-third of one kilowatt.

Experimental conversations were also held between Ossining and towns and cities of Indiana, Ohio, western New York and South Carolina.

LORD GLENCONNER



Lord Glenconner, brother of Mrs. Herbert Asquith, and one of the richest of British peers, who is at present in the United States with his family. He is head of the great chemical works at Rollex and of the Steel Company of Scotland. His eldest son, barely nineteen, fell at the front as an officer of the Grenadier Guards.

White and Colored Snow

Snow is white because the crystals are so minute that each cell of the retina receives a general impression produced by the combination of different wave lengths reflected from innumerable minute facets. Red snow, and more rarely other colors, such as green, blue or black snow, are produced by the action of innumerable fungi known as the Micrococci nivalis. Red snow has been photographed in natural colors.

COL. MAX R. WAINER



Col. Max R. Wainer is assistant director in charge of personnel, bureau of war risk insurance. Keeping up morale in the department during the release since May, 1919, of some 2,224 employees, was one of the colonel's feats.

German War Guilty Must Be Tried

Germany Will Be Asked to Speed up Delivery of Coal to France

By HENRY WOOD

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Paris, Feb. 2.—The council of ambassadors today approved a draft of the allies' reply to the German note asking modification in the terms of the peace treaty demanding surrender of the German war guilty.

The allies reply will point out that under the terms of the treaty, trial of war guilty by the allies must be separate from any German trial.

Kert Von Lersner, head of the German delegation here, will receive the allied reply tomorrow, according to the council's plans.

The request of French representatives who pointed out that Germany is moving 1,000,000 tons of coal a month, has decided to ask Germany to speed up delivery of coal to France.

There now is more coal per capita in Germany than in France, it was claimed.

Hereafter the Belgian ambassador will attend the council meetings when matters of importance to Belgium come up for discussion, it was learned.

Governor Burnquist Ill With Influenza, Is Resting Easily

St. Paul, Feb. 2.—Gov. Burnquist confined to his home with influenza, was reported resting comfortably.

The state board of health received reports of 899 additional cases of influenza throughout the state.

MRS. BROMS BRINGS ACTION FOR DIVORCE

Minneapolis, Jan. 31.—A divorce suit brought by Mrs. Clara S. Broms against Allan S. Broms, alleged Communist who was sentenced to Fort Leavenworth prison in January, 1918, for refusing to do military service and later released by the War department was begun before Judge Grier M. Orr in Ramsey county district court. The hearing was continued until Broms' court-martial record can be produced.

In her complaint Mrs. Broms alleges cruelty, violent exhibitions of temper in which Broms destroyed household furniture, non-support and disloyalty.

At times, Mrs. Broms testified, she confined herself and children in the basement of their home, in order to escape the wrath of her husband during his violent moments. At one time, she alleged he threw her against the door with such force that the panel was broken.

At periods Broms appeared to have attacks of apoplexy, she testified, when he became enraged, and often lost consciousness. She said at one time he threatened to burn the house and his family.

Russian Reds Withdraw Peace Proposals to Poland

(By United Press)

Washington, Jan. 2.—The peace proposal submitted recently to Poland by Soviet Russia has been withdrawn according to unofficial advisers today at the state department. No reason for this was given, but it was thought this might be further evidence that the bolsheviks intend to launch an offensive against Poland in the spring.

Eleven Jurors Selected In I. W. W. Trial

CLEM J. RANDAU,

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Montesano, Wash., Feb. 2.—Delay in the trial of eleven alleged I. W. W. here on the charge of murdering American Legionaries at Centralia, Wash., was threatened today. Attorney George Vandevier of the defense, was expected to be called to testify in another trial of thirteen alleged I. W. W. on charge of criminal syndicalism before Judge Sheeks. Selection of jury continued. Eleven jurors tentatively accepted, were in the box when court opened.

Latest Telegraph

Police Trap Whiskey Raiders

Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—Police here trapped a quartette of whiskey raiders in the basement of the W. Theobald home. Police waited until the raiders started to come out and after a brief pistol fight headed them to the jail.

Normal School President Dies

Madison, S. D., Feb. 2.—Dr. J. W. Reston, president of the state normal school for the last fifteen years, died suddenly of apoplexy Sunday. He was widely known in the northwest as an educator and editor.

Professors Get 25 Per Cent Increase

Madison, Wis., Feb. 2.—An increase in salaries amounting to nearly 25 per cent per year has just been granted to the faculty of the University of Wisconsin by the board of regents. Announcement of the increase was made by president E. A. Berge at the faculty meeting this afternoon.

Yellow Fever a Menace.

The Caribbean coast of Colombia is extremely unhealthy; tropical diseases of all sorts are prevalent, and there is much malaria, tropical anemia, dysentery, etc. Yellow fever is a constant menace.

Minister in New French Cabinet and Deputy Who Attacked Him



Jules Steeg (insert) and Leon Daudet

Premier Millerand's Minister of the Interior Jules Steeg, and Deputy M. Daudet accused Steeg in the Chamber of Deputies of being "an accomplice" of Louis J. Malvy, former minister of the interior, who was banished after having been convicted of communicating with the enemy.

Opposition to Universal Military Training

Party Lines Wiped Out on This Question—Members of Both Sides are Preparing to Attack

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 2.—Party lines apparently have been wiped out in the senate in a close movement in opposition to universal military training. Members of both sides of the chamber are preparing to attack the senate army reorganization bill training provision. On the republican side Senators Borah, LaFollette, Gronna, Capper and Lenroot are among the leading opponents of the plan. McKellar, Shepard, among the democrats, have already declared against it. Senator Borah today issued a formal statement showing his position.

After pointing out that universal training will add heavy burdens to taxpayers, Borah said:

"But aside from the question of taxes I have come to the conclusion that we do not want, and do not need universal training in this country. Militarism is just the same in a republic as it is anywhere else, as we have found. Military training and conscription in past times were the tap root of militarism, and I am opposed to both."

Numerous Officials Changes at Capital

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 2.—Edwin T. Meredith today took the oath of office as secretary of agriculture. After seating Secretary Meredith at the desk he has occupied for eight years, David Houston hurried to the treasury department to take the oath of office to succeed Secretary Glass. Secretary Glass, relieved of his duty at the treasury, planned to take lunch before hastening to the capitol to be sworn in as a junior senator from Virginia.

Definite Answer to Railroad Workers Given Tomorrow

(By United Press)

Washington, Feb. 2.—A definite answer to the demand for higher wages and better working conditions will be given to railroad workmen when they meet with Rail Director Hines tomorrow, according to information at the railroad administration today.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:

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Tuesday, colder tonight with cold
wave in extreme east portion, rising
temperature Tuesday in the north-
west portion.

North Dakota—Fair tonight and
Tuesday, colder in east portion to-
night, slowly rising temperature
Tuesday.

Forecast for the week—Occasion-
al local snows in north, and snow or
rain in south portion, except gener-
ally fair in middle of week. Tem-
perature nearly normal.

Co-operative observer's record, 6
P. M.—
Jan. 30—Maximum 12, minimum
2. Reading in evening, 2. East
wind. Clear.

Jan. 31—Maximum 12, minimum
2 below. Reading in evening, 12.
South wind. Cloudy.

Feb. 1—Maximum 30, minimum
12. Reading in evening, 28. South-
west wind. Cloudy. Light drizzle
rain. Precipitation trace.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Carl G. Edholm of Little Falls was
in the city.

For Spring Water, phone 264. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peters are visit-
ing in Aitkin.

M. P. Moe of Pillager was in the
city Saturday.

Have on Hand for Prompt Delivery:

Hard Coal, all sizes; Soft Coal, Ken-
tucky Lump, Hard Coal Briquets,
Large Briquets, Virginia Nut; Jack
Pine and Tamarack Wood.

TURCOTTE BROS.

A. C. Schultz of Ironton was in the
city on business.

Hazel Tomberlin of Pine River was a
Brainerd visitor.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

B. A. Michener of Pine River was
in the city on business.

Fred L. Britton, job man of the
Dispatch, is sick at his home.

Masquerade Dance Tuesday night,
February 3, given by Degree of Hon-
or at Elks Hall. Tickets 50c. Ex-
tra lady 25c. tsm

J. Cohen of Butte, Mont., was a
guest of Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Cohen.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy Williams have
returned from a visit in Davenport,
Iowa.

Phone operators of the Bemidji

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Lent.

Attorney D. B. McAlpine of Iron-
ton was in the city Saturday on legal
matters.

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tion outlasts the plates. 200-1mo

Attorney W. B. Cook of Crosby at-
tended to legal matters in the city
Saturday.

Attention! Have you any Cabbage
for sale? Call 547. Brainerd Fruit
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Rev. S. F. Sharples of Fergus Falls
went to Ironton and Crosby Saturday
afternoon.

Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop
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County Attorney S. F. Alderman
returned Saturday afternoon from
St. Paul.

Many are taking advantage of price
reductions Oberst is making on suits
made to your measure. 1t

Mrs. George Boyer and daughter,
Miss Gladys, of Aitkin, visited in
Brainerd.

Miss Minnie Carter of Aitkin was
operated on for appendicitis at St.
Joseph's hospital.

A. G. Tolans, secretary of the State
Potato Growers' association, was in
the city Saturday.

Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop
Mercantile Co. 153tf

Mrs. C. C. Plummer and Mrs. J.
Plumb of Swan River, Manitoba, are
visiting in the city.

The regular January thaw was ab-
sent this year, but a milder Febru-
ary has been predicted.

February Columbia Records have
arrived. Hear 2829. Folsom Music
Co. 204tf

Little Falls Board of Commerce is
making an effort to keep the Potato
Growers Exchange in that city.

Attorney M. E. Ryan went to Ait-
kin Saturday afternoon to appear as
attorney in garnishee proceedings.

Eugene Wood, formerly of Brainerd
and Pine River, and now located
in Crosby, is very sick with cancer.

The city council meets this evening
being the first regular meeting of the
month when bills will be considered.

Occident Flour costs a little more
than other flours. It is made
for those people who care
enough about bread to notice the
difference in different kinds.

spent a few days in Brainerd on busi-
ness and visiting with C. P. Ander-
son.

Miss Helen Hendrickson of Du-
luth, who has been visiting in Minn-
neapolis, came to Brainerd Saturday
afternoon for a short visit with rela-
tives here.

Mrs. Hjalmar Ericsson and little
daughter Iris of Minneapolis, who
have been visiting in Little Falls,
came to Brainerd Saturday to visit
Mr. and Mrs. Lars Ericsson.

Mrs. George Bell went to Brainerd,
being called there by the serious ill-
ness of her sister, Mrs. DeRocher,
who was to undergo an operation for
cancer.—Pine River Sentinel-Blaze.

Young Man Graduate! Now is the
time to go to Oberst's and place your
order for a suit. You will save con-
siderable by so doing. New snappy
styles that give that "Million Dollar
Look" 1t

February is the short month of the
year, and yet there will be opportu-
nity for those who wish to improve
the time to hear ten sermons at the
regular Sunday services this month.

Dispatch want ads measured 5
help wanted, 3 for rent, 9 for sale
and 4 miscellaneous wants. Telephone
your wants to the Dispatch, North-
west 74, or mail the ad or have it
sent to the office. Ads are cash, cent
a word each time.

Morrison county keeps its main-
traveled roads cleared of snow. Wm.
Sinclair reports considerable snow on
Crow Wing county roads to Little
Falls and a clear road as soon as the
Morrison county line is reached.

Melvin Leroy Antonson, infant son of
Mr. and Mrs. Severn Antonson, of
West Brainerd, died Sunday night
and the funeral will be held Tuesday
afternoon at 1 o'clock from the
Bethlehem Lutheran church, Rev. M.
L. Hostager officiating.

Exalted rulers night will be cele-
brated Thursday evening, Feb. 5. The
various occupants of chairs were se-
lected at the January meeting and
have been notified. The special com-
mittee on the membership drive will
report. Other projects considered by
the lodge will be brought up for dis-
cussion.

UNEVEN PAINT COATINGS BAD

Great Care Should Always Be Taken
to Have Them of Equal Mois-
ture Resistance.

Coatings of equal moisture resis-
tance should be applied to all surfaces
of a wood product which would give
dissatisfaction if it were to warp in
service. Tests at the forest products
laboratory, Madison, Wis., have shown
that even when wood is properly kiln
dried, no coating entirely prevents
it from picking up or giving off mois-
ture, and, consequently, from swelling
and shrinking under the influence of
varying atmospheric conditions.

Varnish, shellac, and other mois-
ture-resistant finishes merely decrease
the rate at which the moisture changes
in wood occur. The higher the grade
and the more coats applied, the slower
will be the moisture changes.

Unequal coatings on opposite sur-
faces of wooden articles cause un-
equal rates of change in moisture con-
tent and hence unequal shrinkage on
the two sides of the piece. The re-
sult is that the wood tends to cup or
twist out of shape.

Planting Memorial Trees

Planting of trees in honor of heroes
who gave their lives in the late war is
becoming a favorite method of per-
petuating the memory of these men. In
Cleveland, O., May 30 Memorial day
will be made memorable by the ded-
ication of Liberty row, which will ex-
tend for nine miles and will contain
694 trees each planted in memory of
a gold star hero of Cleveland.

The trees will be called Victory oaks
and each will contain a tablet bearing
the name of a soldier, and the date
and place of his death.

Do Away With the Billboard

Signboards more than ever are be-
coming a nuisance on account of the
increasing size and number. One road
side is boarded up with great signs
in flashy colors. Just as a traveler
along roadways reaches a point where
a fine view is expected a glaring sign
completely obstructs the view. It is
expecting to have a merchant in-
trude and force attention to his busi-
ness on an individual at a time and
place where it is not wanted. No good
salesman conducts himself in this man-
ner.—Exchange.

Little People Do.

Aunt's mother had left her with her
sunt for the first time. For awhile it
was not difficult to keep her mind oc-
cupied, but she finally grew restless,
and said: "Auntie, when people feel
real bad, do they cry the same way
they do when they're just awful mad?"

Of Indian Origin.

The powerful political organization
"Tammany" was named after the In-
dian chief "Tammund" of the Dela-
ware tribe, who was famous for his
virtues and wisdom. The Tammany
society was founded in New York city
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with the Republican, now the Demo-
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ing plant and full basement.

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WOMAN'S REALM

NORWEGIAN SINGERS

Lerstad Concert Company Appeared at the New Park Theatre on Sunday Afternoon

A fair audience greeted the Lerstad concert company which gave a pleasing program at the New Park theatre on Sunday afternoon. A feature was the singing of the Lerstad sisters, the Misses Agnes and Melvina, who have been named the "Norwegian Nightingales."

A program of unusual merit was presented, those taking part including the singers named, Miss Jennie Nelson pianist, Miss Lucille Schroeder violinist, Miss Hazel Bryngelson reader and Miss Marvel Lange pianist.

In the evening the company sang at the Swedish Lutheran church.

Y. P. S. Meet

The Concordia Y. P. S. will meet tonight at 8:15 at the Bethlehem church, south Seventh street. They will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Tolefson. Everybody welcome.

The following program will be given:

Piano Solo.....Elsie Schwabe
Vocal solo.....Lois Chadbourne
Violin Solo.....Lester Bredenberg
Vocal Solo.....Dr. A. K. Cohen
Piano Solo.....Mildred Skauge

Missionary Society

The Missionary Society of the First Congregational church will hold its annual meeting Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

Mrs. Wilson, as leader, will present the study of China, from Chap. III of "A Crusade of Compassion for the Healing of the Nations," the outline of which is comparison of China with India; religion and life; the women of China; how Christianity brings healing; three lifesaving stations.

Members are requested to be present and be prepared to pay dues.

FURS WIN HEARTS OF WOMEN

Joy Can Go No Further in Feminine Eyes Than to Be Wrapped in Peltry.

Many a woman who covets nothing else in the way of worldly possessions looks with longing eyes upon luxurious furs. She may cherish a Spartan disregard for other expensive luxuries, but a fur coat makes an almost irresistible appeal to her.

She is aware of all its drawbacks. She knows that a good fur coat is costly, not only as to the original purchase price but as to the repairs which will eventually have to be made, that it will be a burden in the mild weather into which our changeable climate so frequently lapses even in the midst of winter, that a long fur coat is always a heavy weight to carry on one's shoulders, but it is, nevertheless, consumedly the desire of her eyes.

Joy can go no further in her estimation than to be wrapped in furs when the wind blows cold and blustering and to feel that she not only is warm but looks warm.

The woman bent on a fur coat in these times also tells herself that with the prevailing high prices of woolen coats a fur garment will cost but little more, at any rate not more than twice as much and will look well twice as long.

Furs of all grades have grown in expense during the last year and perhaps that is why one sees so little use made this season of the mysterious cheap pelts whose ancestry was scarcely whispered about, much less acknowledged.

Where Education Fails.

Furthermore, college education never in this world made a young man anxious to milk a cow in a muddy lot. —Dallas News.

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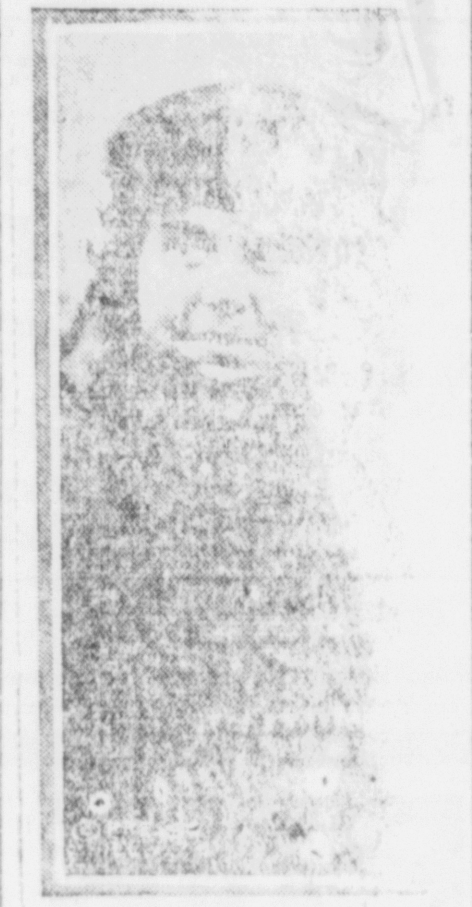
PARENT-TEACHERS

Association of Washington Lincoln Schools to Meet at the Washington Building Tuesday

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Washington and Lincoln schools will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 2, at 7:30 o'clock, to which all interested are cordially invited to attend.

The program to be given includes a vocal solo by Miss Drexler; recitation by Helen Marie Stadlbauer; violin, cello and piano selection by Miss Lonita Hayes, Wm. Rodenkirchen and Mrs. Wm. Rodenkirchen; an address by Mrs. Herbert.

* Conan Doyle's Daughter *
* Here to "See America" *



Miss Mary Louise Conan Doyle, daughter of the famous English writer of detective stories, is in the U. S. for the winter. When she arrived in New York she said she was going to San Francisco to spend the winter and that then she was "going to see more of America."

Are You Losing "Pen"?

Do you feel tired all the time? Does your back ache? Do you feel that you are not so spry as you used to be? Foley Kidney Pills tone up and invigorate the kidneys, banish backache, rid the blood of poisons. Rev. W. F. M. Swyndole, Macon, Ga., writes: "I am ready at any time to speak a word for Foley Kidney Pills." H. P. Dunn. mwf

HOME TOWN HELPS

GENERAL CLEANUP IN ORDER

Patriotic Advertising Is No Longer an Excuse for the Presence of Unsightly Billboards.

Now that the orgy of war advertising is ended, where does it all leave YOU—as the posters said—and your future contributions to the maintenance of the advertiser's paradise? You gladly saw patriotism written all over the beautiful buildings and places of the city—even though this writing was a kind of scribbling, so incongruous were the papers and finenesses. Beauty was for the moment nothing—nothing unless it, too, served. But now!

Are we to be equally content to see Piffle's Pickles emblazoned where we testified our intention to save food and thus help win the war? Will not chewing gum and chiclet be more than ever an impertinence when inflated to the dimensions of our fatherland, the liberty of the world and the sacrifices of our sons?

Some have feared that the riot of outdoor war advertising would debase our taste and make the public still more heedless of the incongruousness and ugliness of the advertising nuisance. We think not. In spite of everything, the war advertising truly expressed us. We looked at it and read it—and liked some of it—because it did. It expressed us best when it was most beautiful. And although much of it was small in scale, it never was too big to express the great ideas. But now, will not the apotheosis of the insignificant seem more than ever cheap and tawdry? If so, the blatant advertisement has lost some of its advertising value. If it could only lose it all, if people would not patronize what is offensively advertised, it would disappear.—Bulletin of the Municipal Art Society of New York.

GOWNS THAT WIN FAVOR IN PARIS

Models Must Be Simple and Without Any Unbecoming or Bizarre Effects.

STRAIGHT LINES HAVE CALL

Parisienne Too Fond of Personal Appearance to Go in for Anything That Is Grotesque—Fur Still Popular.

From present indications, writes a leading fashion correspondent, the Parisienne is not going to adopt any of the fantastic features that appeared in earlier models. She is accepting, however, in a very marked way, certain of the models which have distinct new features without any unbecoming or bizarre silhouette.

The Parisienne is too fond of her own personal appearance to go in for anything that is grotesque. She has worn too many good clothes and has too much personal taste and refinement in dress to go contrary to principles. Thus we find that out of the earlier showings, which carried all kinds of extraordinary hip extensions and queer girdings, loops and draperies, the chic Parisienne has chosen straight lines, simple waistline beltings, soft colors and the natural silhouette.

This will come as no surprise to those who are close students of fashions in women's dress. Only the extremists were enthusiastic about the marked hip extensions and the complicated draperies.

Czecho-Slavic Idea Proves Success.

As prophesied, the Lanvin models in the Czecho-Slavic feeling have proved a success. While these dresses are of marked type, they are not bizarre in any way. In fact, they are most refined looking, with delicate thread embroidery in black on white or stone color. The best dressed women in Paris are wearing these gowns, which are of a straight chemise-like cut, but tightly girdled at the waistline with a string tie of the same material, which seemingly is drawn in as tightly as possible around the figure. This gives the appearance of being practically uncorseted, the stomach and hips bulging in a natural manner.

While the fashions of Jugo-Slav origin were thought by some to be extreme, they really were not. Probably the most remarkable feature about them is the great number of ideas which they embody.

Has Trouserlike Effect.

An example of how a costume that is simple and beautiful has been worked out from the long-coat garment with trouserlike underskirt, which was one of the most conspicuous notes in the Jugo-Slav collection, is a Lanvin model. It was she who first introduced this type of dress.

It is developed in pale castor colored velours de laine, the bottom band, which takes the place of the trouser underskirt, being black broadcloth and the collar of fisher fur, or pekan, as it is called in France. The



The influence of the Jugo-Slav is quite apparent in the model sketched above, developed in castor-colored velours de laine. A tight broadcloth underskirt gives a trouserlike effect.

embroidery is black, with the exception of a touch of red around the pockets, the prevalent fashion of having a breast pocket for the watch and wearing the watch on a fob. Sometimes a little jeweled ornament hangs from the end of the ribbon.

Another of Lanvin's very popular dresses has just come from Paris. It is a simple frock of the type in which a woman will always look well dressed and that will appear to be in the height of the mode for some time to come. This is desirable in these days of expensive fabrics, for even if we

make our own dresses we feel that we must use cloth sparingly until there is some readjustment of prices. Then it is a nice thing to have a dress such as this in one's wardrobe, because it fills so many needs. One may shop in it in the early morning hours, walk in the afternoon or stop for tea among the most smartly dressed women and still feel comfortably and suitably dressed.

Coat of Blue Velours.

Paquin makes such a coat of very dark blue wool velours. It has a flaring collar of astrachan, the same fur forming an edge down the entire front of the coat and making deep gauntlet cuffs. While this wrap is very simple it is of the type worn over dressy afternoon costumes, as well as a matching coat for the plainer velours or



Coats as well as dresses are drawn in tightly about the waistline to accentuate the natural lines of the figure. The one of wool velours above has a collar, gauntlet cuffs and edging down the front of astrachan.

duvety dresses. It is smart to have one of these long coats exactly matching the frock.

Paris makes a great feature of very heavy wool embroidery done in a loop stitch, like tapestry. This is sometimes sheared to form little square tufts which stand away from the surface of the fabric a quarter of an inch deep. Sometimes a part of the pattern is clipped and the rest left in a tight loop. All patterns are geometrical and form deep, thick-looking borders on coats, collars and cuffs. To some degree this embroidery resembles a fur. It is almost overdone by Premet, as she uses it on so many models. The idea, however, is interesting and new.

Monkey Fur Still Popular.

Despite its great use last winter, monkey fur continues to be popular. It is very expensive when used in any quantity. As a garniture for dresses and suits it is not considered really smart unless used in the form of deep borders and enveloping collars. Lanvin has a delightful little dress with a deep border of jet black monkey fur at the bottom of the skirt. One of the most successful models from Madeleine is a coat of pearl gray checked in black and trimmed with a wide skirt band and a collar and cuffs of monkey fur. This coat is worn over a black velvet one-piece dress.

As to fur trimmings there is almost no tailored suit that has not brought of some kind. The one-piece tailored dresses, or robe manteaux, are also heavily fur trimmed.

One thing specially to be remarked is the little use of the muff. Possibly the mantle type of wrap has made the muff unnecessary, as the wearer folds the mantle around her and holds it in place; thus it would be very awkward to carry a muff.

ODDS AND ENDS

Belts are semifitted. "Poison green" is a favorite color. Feather dresses are much in vogue. Afternoon gowns show huge ruffles.

Belts are narrow and sometimes wrap the figure twice. Suit coats are lined with bright printed tussah.

Cherry red and pearl gray are favored colors in the millinery world. A general use of platings is noticeable in many of the new frocks.

Checked velours of henna and navy will be used for southern sport wear. Some suit blouses are of high colored silks, trimmed with the suit cloth.

Many tailored blouses for spring will be of plain and frilled dotted swiss.

Accordion-plaited insertions may be used to give the prevailing side fullness.

Detachable Capes.

Judging from the winter's fashion notes, there are to be a good many coats with detachable capes. Sometimes a little fur cape is to be part of a cloth coat—a detachable part, that may be put on and taken off the coat at will.

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How Twelfth Month Got Name.

Our Saxon ancestors, who made the early history of England and laid the foundation of our English language, called December Winter-month or winter month. In the early times those Saxons were pagans, simply because they had never heard the truth. But the truth reached them and they became converted to Christianity. Then they gave to the twelfth month a new name significant of the national change of mind. They called the month the light-month or holy month, from the anniversary that occurs in it of the birth of Christ. In the end the Latin name prevailed and so we call the month December.—Montreal Herald.

* Searched Till She Found *
* Son's Body in Unmarked *
* Grave in 'No Man's Land' *



After a long search Mrs. Valentine Hoffman of Chicago, Ill., located the body of her soldier son in an unmarked grave in "No Man's Land." He was killed while serving with the 303d Machine Gun Battalion of the Seventy-seventh Division. When she arrived recently in New York, Mrs. Hoffman said that she had hoped to bring the body back with her but was unable to obtain permission from the French government.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Backachy or Bladder troubles you—Salts is fine for Kidneys.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.

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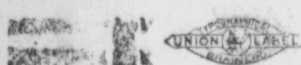
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FREE SPEECH UNDER CONSTITUTION

Minneapolis Journal: Hundreds of Reds who have been taken into custody or deported by officers of the United States Government, offer bitter protest upon the ground that the guarantee of free speech under the Constitution has been abrogated. In this contention they carry with them some American citizens who fear that the time honored right of free speech and free assembly is to be lost or compromised in a wave of reaction.

Such protestors point to the Declaration of Independence in support of their contention—particularly to the passage which reads: "Whenever any government becomes destructive of these ends (life, liberty and pursuit of happiness) it is the right of the people to alter or abolish it and to institute a new government."

This is clearly a declaration of the right of resistance and revolution, but it contemplates the erection of another government in place of the one abolished and it does not purpose to abide in anarchy or disorder. John Adams, John Hancock, Roger Sherman and the rest of the fathers, believed in the right of revolution, or resistance, and they acted upon this right.

But this is only half the story. It must be remembered relative to free speech and assembly that the document that governs the policy of the United States is not the Declaration of Independence, but the Constitution. The Declaration was a preliminary statement of principles. The Constitution followed as the book of rules.

It should be remembered at this time that aliens are in a different status before the law from citizens. The alien shares none of the privileges of citizenship and only such rights as are specifically guaranteed by treaty or international law. You cannot exile an alien. Only the country where he is a citizen can do this.

Now it is notable that the first amendment to the Constitution deals with the right of free speech and assembly in the following words: "Congress shall make no laws abridging the freedom of speech or of the press; or the right of people peaceably to assemble and to petition the government for the redress of grievances."

The right to "peaceably assemble" and to petition is granted under the Constitution, but not the right to revolt or to stir up sedition. These words mean as much today as when they were written. It is the evident intent of the Constitution not to grant people the right to get together and conspire against the Government, nor does it grant to foreign citizens the right to incite the masses against the Government.

The Constitution does grant to all citizens the right of free assembly and of petition. If grievances are not redressed by Congress after such petition, citizens have the further right to go to the polls and elect representatives to a new Congress that will enact the will of the majority.

It was the purpose of the founders of the Republic and it is still the will of the people, to have a government of order and freedom under law.

COD KIMBALL

When Cod Kimball of Pequot last year expounded his cure for the flu, just plain onions, stewed, fried, boiled, parboiled, made into a syrup and a dozen different ways, some people laughed, but they forgot it was a "strong" remedy.

Onions today are quoted high and are being eagerly bought. True, a household making onions the chief dish of its menu, speaks for itself and as Cod Kimball says, it's enough to drive the flu or anything else away.

Southern Europe people eschew the onion and devote themselves to garlic. In the case of garlic, the remedy is worse than the flu.

PERFECTION

There is no such thing as perfection. Perfection is an ideal, a goal to be attained but never reached.

If such a thing as perfection exist-

ed on this earth, it would become monotonous. Perfection in anything gives no occasion for an argument.

Would it please a woman to be married to a man who was perfection, who needed not a bit of alteration, who was so perfect that his wings persisted in working a way through the back of his coat?

Can you imagine a newspaper, a store or a church congregation being perfection itself. Nope, for oftentimes a man is not even satisfied with himself.

In fact, everything in the universe needs fixing all the time.

SUPERFLOUS PARTS

Modern surgery and science is demonstrating that man has many superfluous parts.

For instance, his appendix appears to be better removed than carried as Nature bestowed it. Tonsils are taken out, for they are often diseased. Teeth are another source of trouble and they are frequently removed.

Men have lived with one kidney and one lung of the pairs Nature gave them. The loss of an arm or leg does not as a rule kill a man. He can lose his eyes and still keep on living. He loses his hair and continues through life baldheaded.

In short, a man can exist if he loses everything except his nerve.

INCOME TAX

Don't wait until the last minute to make out your income tax return. Start in early, get several pads of good scratch paper and several pencils and have the whole family tackle the job.

As a source of argument and discussion the income tax excels anything else you can think of.

The government won't miss you. Every employer of labor has to make a return of wages paid his force and that list is checked up by the government. If you miss making out a return, there are penalties to tack on your original tax which will be heavy ones.

NORTHWEST NEWS

Automotive Exhibition

Minneapolis, Feb. 2—The automotive exposition here was expected to reach its maximum attendance today or tomorrow.

Leaders of the motor industry from all parts of the country were praising the show today. In addition to the passenger automobiles, trucks and tractors exhibited, the exposition includes farm machinery, power appliances, engines and motoring accessories. It is the first exposition ever recognized by the American Motor Accessories association as a body. The show will end next Saturday.

State Mill and Elevator

Grand Forks, Feb. 2—Work on construction of the big state mill and elevator is expected to begin this week and be completed Sept. 1.

The mill will have a capacity of 3,000 barrels of flour per day, and the terminal elevator will have a capacity of more than 1,600,000 bushels of wheat. The power plant will be designed for a capacity of 2,000 horsepower. The elevator will have two receiving and shipping tracks on which 150 cars can be loaded at the average speed of about 150 cars per day.

Second Semester

Minneapolis, Feb. 2—The second semester at the University of Minnesota started today.

The courses are divided into three divisions, engineering, business and collegiate. The only new courses offered this semester is on journalism.

Soldiers Bonus

St. Paul, Feb. 2—Many Minnesota former soldiers were all smiles today

STOP THE LEAKS, URGE ENGINEERS; WOULD GROUP BIG U. S. WORK



With a peace-time budget of \$500,000,000, Uncle Sam ought to begin to think of how he can save money by stopping the leaks through which millions are wasted each year. This is the basis on which the engineering fraternity of the United States is preparing to make a big public appeal for better co-ordination of Government business, at least so far as big Government construction work is concerned. A Department of Public Works, with all great construction enterprises assembled under it, is the plan proposed. Engineers, who represent every line of engineering work in every part of the country, propose to go before Congress with a practical plan for the establishment of an industrial organization under which the Government may conduct its public works business under the principles which have marked the organization of American industry.

Convention in Washington. The plan will be set in motion formally at the convention of the National Public Works Department Association, in Washington, January 13-14. Marshall O. Leighton, of Washington, an engineer of prominence, formerly one of the Government's leading technical men, will be chairman of the convention. Associated with him are such men as Charles Whiting Baker, well-known consulting engineer; J. Parke Channing, chairman of Engineering Council; F. H. Newell, formerly director of the United States Reclamation Service and many others of prominence. Milton Alles, former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, is treasurer of the association. Government Work Should Be Co-ordinated. The Internal Revenue Department presents every individual with more

than normal earning capacity with a bill for his share of the public work, says Mr. Leighton. When the aggregate bill for Government expenditure reaches \$5,000,000,000, he says, it is time to think about leakage. As it is now, the engineers contend, Government work is scattered in many departments, with consequent great waste and duplication. Public work grouped under one department and organized along business lines will not only save the Government vast sums of money, the engineers assert, but will lead to efficiency and high technical excellence. The burdens of every business organization in the country, Mr. Leighton says, are magnified by Government business inefficiency. The legislation now before Congress provides for the grouping of all Government work under one department. It is proposed to change the name of the Department of Interior to the Department of Public Works.

the first payment of the long looked for bonus started.

According to officials of the bonus board fully 5,000 men will have their bonus warrants by tomorrow evening.

The state bonus is \$15 for each month of service.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Best Today and Tomorrow

The Best theatre presents William Russell, the popular American Film star, in "Hobbs in a Hurry," the direct comedy drama from the pen of George Lee McCandless. Here is a story that is far away from the beaten track of the familiar photoplay, which usually involves the eternal triangle or the super-sensational drama of the underworld.

"Hobbs in a Hurry" is a breezy western story, abounding in comedy bits, and hard-riding groups of distinguished American cow-boys, and a limited express. Scenically, the production is out of the ordinary in many ways, some of the backgrounds being taken among the rugged foothills that lie just to the west of Santa Barbara, California, where the American studios are located.

At the New Park Thursday

"Flo Flo" John Cort's big musical comedy production which is one of the early bookings at the Park theatre Feb. 5th comes to this city, following an all year's run in New York and successful engagements in Boston and Chicago. "Flo Flo" has all

of the graces of the musical comedy of the past and any number of new ones which are essentially her own, including a chorus of matchless beauty and grace, a scenic background which has never been equaled in loveliness and a typical John Cort cast of musical comedy favorites including Hazel Alger, W. J. McCarthy, Carl George, Eddie Lloyd, Augustus Buel, Rhea Norion, Elia Moore McCune, Marie Danies, Robert Dale, Frank Masters and Frank Hodgins. The chorus incidentally numbers nothing but "perfect 36" models and has that rare medium, a sense of humor, exhibited at each performance in a series of eccentric dances.

At the Park Today for Last Time

There is something fascinating about a really clever crook in action, especially when he performs his labors on the screen and has no opportunity to raid your strongbox. How doubly interesting the master-criminal becomes when he abandons his sinful ways and turns detective in order to use his talents in tracing a mysterious murderer was demonstrated last evening at the Park theatre, where "Teeth of the Tiger," the new picture relating the latest adventure of Arsene Lupin, the notorious French crook.

Readers of Maurice Le Blanc's thrilling Lupin stories will recall that the final escapee left the clever criminal apparently dead. However, it develops—fortunately for the world of fiction and the screen—Arsene survived and is living as a respectable

citizen in an American suburb when the action in "Teeth of the Tiger" begins. He becomes involved in the investigation of the murder of his millionaire acquaintance, Henry Forbes. Mystery surrounds the crime, and several innocent persons are suspected. But the master hand of Lupin, trained in the inner workings of the criminal mind, discovers the guilty one and brings him to justice after a series of hair-raising adventures. A pretty love story is worked into the plot, which is thoroughly convincing throughout and kept last night's audience baffled as to the identity of the murderer until the last moment.

United States District Court.

District of Minnesota.

Fifth Division

In the Matter of William A. Howard, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of William A. Howard, of Brainerd, in the County of Crow Wing, and District aforesaid, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1920, the said William A. Howard was duly adjudged a bankrupt and the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned, 604 Palladio Building, Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday the 16th day of February, A. D. 1920, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims and elect a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated Duluth, Minnesota, January 31, 1920.

WILLIAM O. PEALER,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

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The Mahlum Lumber Co. has added a new industry to Brainerd which will give employment to 25 men, being a lath mill established in Northeast Brainerd near the Northwest Paper Co. mill.

The cut for the first season will amount to 22,000,000 or more lath and the value of the manufactured product being over \$300,000. To gain material to work on, 500 carloads of lath bolts will be shipped to Brainerd from M. & I. railway points.

The lath manufactured will be shipped to southern Minnesota, Iowa and Illinois. The foreman in charge at the mill is Joe Jones. A number of experienced men formerly employed at the sawmill of the Pine Tree Lumber Co. in Little Falls, have been added to the rolls and they are now removing their families to Brainerd.

Many contracts have been made with farmers for lath bolts, some 60 different farmers having contracts to furnish lath bolts.

The office force at the Mahlum Lumber Co. offices has been increased five men. The company has been preparing for business all fall and winter, the first consideration being to gain complete supplies for raw material.

The mill means much to Northeast Brainerd and Brainerd generally and to the farmers of the surrounding territory. With many restrictions on building now removed, peace days will be busy ones to catch up in construction lines and the demand for good lath, such as the Mahlum Lumber Co. will make, should be heavy enough to keep the lath mill running for a long time.

RESOLUTIONS

Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 29, 1920.
WHEREAS, The Secretary of the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Fred Lincoln, has served as the Secretary of the Crow Wing County Chapter of the American Red Cross during the past two years or more, and whereas the work attached thereto has been very exacting and has required much time, tact and painstaking attention, and whereas Mr. Lincoln has performed the duties pertaining to this office with unusual efficiency and without any charge to the Red Cross, therefore be it resolved by the directors that, as he relinquishes his duties to remove from this city, we the directors appreciate the faithful and efficient service he has rendered to this organization and that we extend to him our thanks for the same.

Adopted by rising vote at a meeting of the Board of Directors at the Chamber of Commerce, Jan. 29, 1920.
MRS. J. A. THABES,
Pres. American Red Cross.

Death at Nisswa

Nisswa, Minn., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Elizabeth Porter, age 70, mother of Mrs. Anna Eads, passed away, death being caused by apoplexy. She had lived in Nisswa since last fall, coming from the west. She leaves a son and daughter. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. Arthur Smith of the First Baptist church of Brainerd, officiating.

Don't Neglect the Little Ones

Mrs. J. S. Pitson, 375 E. 15th St., Cleveland, O., writes: "I can't speak too highly of Foley's Honey and Tar. When my little girl has a cold I give her Foley's Honey and Tar and that stops her coughing in a little while. Children like it. It contains no opiates. It is healing, soothing, prompt in action." H. P. Dunn.

At Moilanen Grocery

Offers these goods, Cash and no Delivery, from Jan. 26 to Feb. 5

at the following prices:

Best of all Flour, 49 lbs.	\$3.55
1 Lb. good Steel Cut Coffee	.50
1 Lb. Cream Cheese	.38
1 Lb. Leaf Lard	.30
1/2 Lb. Uncolored Japan Tea	.25
10 Bars Soap	.45
10 Lb. Pail Syrup	.90
Creamery Butter, 1b.	.63

1224 OAK STREET

AUTOMOBILES IN CROW WING COUNTY

Statistics Reveal that 3753 Families Have 2349 Cars, Great Growth in Car Industry

THE STATE HAS 260,880 CARS

In Trunk Highways, State Roads and All Roads Minnesota Has a Mileage of 91,890 Miles

Minnesota had 260,880 motor vehicles under state registration December 1, 1919. Of this amount Crow Wing county had 3753 families with 2349 cars. Seven counties had more than one motor vehicle to each family.

Interesting figures are given on Minnesota's 91,890 miles of roads. Of this amount Crow Wing county has 97 miles of trunk highways, 148 miles of state roads, 628 miles of all roads, according to statistics given in the Sunday Minneapolis Journal automobile number.

In spite of the manufacturing stagnation caused by the war, in spite of strikes and lockouts and industrial unrest, the motor car population of the United States continues to grow in leaps and bounds, says Motor. On Nov. 1, 1919, the motor population of the country was 7,412,047. On this first of January the officials of the various states estimate that the number reached 7,691,523. The latest government figures available indicate that there are approximately 27,000,000 families in this country. There is a motor car of some sort for every three and a half families. We now have a motor car for each 15.98 persons in our country. Four of our states can now carry their entire population in their own motor vehicles. These happy commonwealths are Iowa, where there is a car for each 6.09 inhabitants; California, with a car for each 6.20 Golden Staters; Nebraska, with a car for each 6.43 of its people, and South Dakota, with one for every seven residents, big and little. Until this year Iowa and Nebraska have been the only two states in this mystic circle. Now California horns in and usurps second place.

Now the Flying Fishermen

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 4.—Flying fish have long been familiar but now the flying fisherman is introduced. Captain John D. Loop, who has adopted the hydroplane in place of the time-honored dory.

From it he hunts for sardines and whales.

The hydroplane's adaptation to whaling is a development of the war when airplanes were used to search the seas for submarines. From the air the hunter can see beneath the surface of the water.

The chief part played by the airman in fishing is to locate the schools and then the whalers or the fishing boats are sent out to finish the job. An attack on the whale from the sky, however, by means of bombs or machine guns, is not an impossible development, flyers say.

Loop, who long has hunted whales off the Lower California coast, already has had big success in locating schools of sardines from the air.

BIDS WANTED

The Board of Trustees of the Bethlehem Evangelical church, corner of Main and Bluff, will receive sealed bids for reshelving the roof of the church. The board will furnish shingles and nails. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids to be in by Feb. 7th.

HUGO A. KAATZ,
Secretary of Board.

WORLD WAR VETERANS. ATTENTION!

Guard Erickson Post, No. 19, has a regular meeting tonight. Come and attend. Smoker after the meeting.

A. A. ENGLUND, Secretary.

Bee's Antiseptic.

Bees suck up the nectar, which does not pass into their stomach but into an expansion of the oesophagus. There it undergoes a partial chemical transformation, under the influence of a substance called invertase, which acts as a ferment. When the bee disgorges the honey into the wax cells it discharges a little invertase at the same time, and before closing the cell a tiny drop of venom from the bee's sting is added, this to prevent fermentation. "Thus," says Bonnier, "the bees invent antiseptics before Pasteur or Lister!" It is this drop of poison that preserves the honey for years.

You Can't Be Too Careful

Elsie O'Brien, R. P. D. 7, Vincent, Ind., writes: "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar broke up my cold right away." It relieves coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough; clears the passages, soothes irritated membranes and stops tickling in the throat. Foley's is the original and genuine Honey and Tar. H. P. Dunn.

MAN KILLED AT LITTLE FALLS

(By United Press)

Little Falls, Feb. 2.—Clarence Carlson, age 22, of Freedom, was instantly killed Saturday at 4:15 at the granite quarry six miles from Little Falls. Mr. Carlson was working on top of the granite pile when the stones started to roll and crushed him to death. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carlson, living in Freedom.

AMONG THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The Sunday school column inaugurated last Monday gave the news of the Methodist, First Baptist and Presbyterian schools, an invitation having been extended to all schools of the city to send in news items EARLY every Monday morning.

Methodist School

The Methodist church school had an attendance of 66 Feb. 1, being distributed as follows: adult division 53, young peoples division 68, elementary division 77, executive officers 8.

Each of the seven departments meet separately and conduct separate opening services adapted to their age, understanding and needs.

V. W. Mackey has been placed in charge of the publicity of the school and all items should be given him.

First Baptist Bible School

The Bible school orchestra was entertained at a six o'clock dinner at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Nicholson on Tuesday evening.

The Philathea class held their monthly meeting at the home of Avera and Alice Jones on Tuesday evening. Plans for the year's work was outlined. A general review of what "Philathea," its motto and platform means to the class, was given.

Two new classes were created in the young peoples division, one for the older boys and one for the older girls, ages 12 to 14 years.

The Alpha class will give a Valentine social one week from Friday, Feb. 13th.

Presbyterian School

Yesterday was the thirty-first anniversary of the First Presbyterian Sunday school. Thirty-one years of Christian training and instruction given to the boys and girls, many of them now men and women, of Brainerd. Special services to commemorate this day were in charge of Mrs. Lovrie. The second apportionment of the Sunday school to the building fund of the church was started. Special offerings to this will be taken each Sunday. A vote of thanks was given Mrs. Fred Luken for her thirty-one years of faithful and efficient service as secretary of the Sunday school.

The D. Y. R. class under the leadership of Mrs. McKay has charge of the cradle roll. They already have twenty-eight, all under three years of age, enrolled. The class is doing splendid work in getting members for this department. This is only one of the many activities of the class.

Miss Anderson's class will hold its regular meeting on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 7th, from 2:30 to 4:00, at the home of Janet Hall, 624 S. 6th St. All members are urged to be present.

The special number which was to have been given by Mrs. Reese's class at the opening exercises yesterday, was postponed until next Sunday because of the anniversary service.

We are glad to welcome back Iris and Harry Wolfert who have been out of Sunday school for the past few Sundays because of sickness.

Don't forget your pennies to the building fund. Remember that you can put in nothing but pennies, although you can put in all the pennies you want.

Better to be On the Safe Side

Nearly everybody at some time or other suffers from backache, sore muscles, swollen joints, rheumatic pains or other symptoms of kidney and bladder ailments. These may not be serious, but it certainly pays to be on the safe side. Foley Kidney Pills strengthen and invigorate kidneys and bladder and help them to do their work. H. P. Dunn.

British Chancellors.

The British chancellor of the exchequer and the old high chancellor are two separate persons, and their positions are very different. The chancellor of the exchequer holds a position in the British cabinet similar to that of the minister of finance in the federal cabinet of Canada. The position of the lord high chancellor is primarily a judicial one. He is at the head of the equity branch of the law and in that capacity is the highest judge in England. He also presides over the sittings of the house of lords. —Montreal Herald.

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Home Town Helps

PROLONGING LIFE OF TREES

Filling Cavities With Cement Ends the Spread of Decay, and is a Simple Operation.

Filling the cavities of trees with cement to prolong their lives is being commonly and successfully practiced. It is not only worth while in preserving fruit trees, but is also the means of saving valuable shade trees. Trees with cavities several inches deep are often cut down when, by using a little cement and sand, they could be kept alive for ten or fifteen years longer.

Of course, the cavities are small at first, but continue to get larger. They favor decay, weakening the tree.

With a knife or a chisel remove all of the decayed wood. Trim the edges of the wound smoothly with a sharp knife. Then a coat of paint or shellac should be given the outer edge of the wound. Successful growers recommend the use of creosote and coal tar to disinfect the inside of the cavity after it has been thoroughly cleaned out. This may be applied with a brush.

The cement may then be put in immediately. A good mixture may be made of one part cement to two parts of clean sand.

After the cement and sand have been stirred a few minutes add enough water to make the mixture into a thick paste. Begin filling the cavity



Putting a new heart into a tree. Cement has been substituted for the "heart" and most of the body.

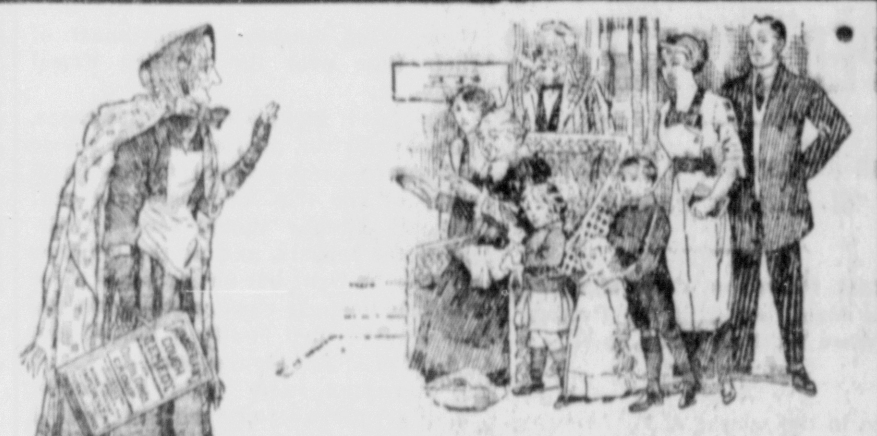
from the bottom and tamp the material thoroughly. The work may be done on a warm day, and cement must be protected from freezing at least forty-eight hours. Remember that warmth and moisture are essential for the uniform and rapid hardening of concrete.

Safety Fire Escape.

A woman has invented a fire escape for dazed and frightened victims. It consists of a seat and footboard fastened together by ropes like a swing. For further protection there is an extra loop of rope which slips over the head and fastens about the body.

Thaws Frozen Coal.

For thawing coal frozen in steel cars a kerosene burner that can be placed directly under a car has been invented.



Good for the Whole Family

"Granny" Chamberlain "A good cough remedy is one that can be depended upon to cure coughs. Not one that cures some particular cough, but coughs in general."

It must be a cough remedy that can be relied upon for all the different coughs that are so prevalent. While the causes of all coughs are primarily the same, yet the condition of the patient is what makes the difference in the nature of the cough itself. Coughs of healthy persons are easier to cure than the coughs of invalids. The powerful convulsive cough of a large man is harder to cure than the cough of a baby. If you get a remedy that will cure a large man's cough and yet not be too powerful for the baby, you have a good cough remedy.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is just this kind of remedy. It is good for any member of the family. It relieves coughs of all kinds. It is the product of much thought and study to produce an ideal cough remedy. It is composed of things which cure easily and soothingly without harming the most delicate tissues of the throat. It acts as easily and safely on the young as on the old, and is the ideal remedy for coughs, colds, croup, influenza, whooping cough and bronchitis.

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You'll find it both economical and pleasing.

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Found It Somewhat Depressing.

I had taken little nephew with me to a funeral at the home of one of our neighbors. He was very quiet during the music and singing and subdued weeping of the mourners, but gave a sigh of relief when the services were over. On our way home he looked up at me and remarked: "It wasn't a very lively party, was it, auntie?"—Chicago American.

One Result of Winter

Life indoors with lack of exercise and heavy food is apt to throw the digestive organs out of order. Foley Cathartic Tablets are a wholesome physic that thoroughly cleanse the bowels without griping or nausea. They sweeten the stomach, invigorate the liver, banish headaches, biliousness, bloating, gas. H. P. Dunn.

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LATH BOLTS—The Mahlum Lbr. Co. is offering top prices for good sound lath bolts. For particulars see or write Mahlum Lbr. Co., Brainerd, Minn.
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WIPED OUT FLYERS

English Airmen Made Short Work of Turkish Enemy.

Breakfast Proved a Very Much Delayed Meal, but Still the Results Were Worth a Little Spell of Hunger.

When in the winter of 1917-18, General Allenby decided to wipe out the Turkish army the next fall, he planned, with the assistance of Emir Feisal and his Arabian troops, to take Nazareth and Galilee. Feisal led a camel troop of two thousand men inland into the desert in the late summer of 1918, says a writer in the Red Cross Magazine. There were heat and flies that few white men could endure, and the way led far north behind the Turkish army that was facing Allenby.

When they had cut the only railway by which the Turkish armies down below could get their supplies, and had blown up bridges and long stretches of track, the Arabs fell back into the desert to await Allenby's drive, and there the Turkish airplanes found

GRANDMOTHER KNEW

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But the old-fashioned mustard-plaster burned and blistered while it acted. Get the relief and help that mustard plasters gave, without the plaster and without the blister.

Musterole does it. It is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It is scientifically prepared, so that it works wonders, and yet does not blister the tenderest skin.

Gently massage Musterole in with the finger-tips. See how quickly it brings relief—how speedily the pain disappears. Use Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.

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DIPLOMAT SHOULD KNOW LANGUAGE

PLAN TO BETTER OUR FOREIGN SERVICE STARTED BY PAN-AMERICAN FINANCIERS.

SOME ACTION IS EXPECTED

Ambassadors and Consuls of United States in the Latin-American Countries Can't Use Spanish in Transacting Business of Office.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—A campaign in favor of requiring every diplomatic representative of the United States to speak the language of the country to which he is assigned has been started. It had its inception at a meeting of the group chairman of the Pan-American financial conference which recently met in this city. Those chairmen passed a resolution expressing the view that the state department should lay down the rule that no man would be appointed an ambassador or a minister to any country unless he could speak the language of that country. This action was taken with special reference to the South American situation. It was pointed out at this conference of group chairmen that every delegate from South America to the Pan-American financial conference spoke English fluently, and it was asserted that of all the American ambassadors and ministers to South and Central America, not one is familiar enough with the Spanish language to use it in transacting the business of his office.

The state department has been impressed with the representation made by the men who acted as chairmen of the various groups of committees through which the business of the Pan-American conference was conducted, and will in all probability take some action along the line suggested. The department, evidently, is not ready at this time to make a hard and fast rule to the effect that an ambassador or minister shall not be appointed to a country unless he shall be familiar with the language of the country to which he is to be assigned.

Should Try to Learn Language.

The department does believe, however, that when an ambassador or a minister is appointed to a country and is not familiar with the language of the country, he should take steps to familiarize himself with the language as quickly as possible. Some of our ambassadors and ministers have done this, but generally speaking they have not. The United States, it is asserted, is one of the few major powers that has not given this subject any special attention. None of the European powers, it is asserted, would think of sending an ambassador to a country unless he could speak the language prevailing in that country. In this connection, it is pointed out that every minister or ambassador attached to the diplomatic corps here is familiar to some extent with the English language; most of them speak it very well.

The whole subject of raising the standard not only of the diplomatic service but of the consular service of the United States is beginning to get some deserved attention. It has always been the custom to let the politicians of the party in power name most of the ambassadors and ministers sent forth to represent this government. An exception has usually been made in appointing an ambassador to Great Britain, and this is about the only exception that has ever been made to this rule. Nearly all the men serving as ambassadors or ministers at the present time were appointed on the recommendation of senators.

Do Not Own Our Embassy Homes.

It is obvious, according to public men, who are giving attention to the subject that if the United States is to occupy the place the war has given her in world affairs in a proper way, more attention must be given to the welfare of both the diplomatic service and the consular service. The men in these services at present, it is asserted, are not paid living salaries. The United States is the only first-class power that does not own its own embassies abroad. This subject of providing homes for the ambassadors of the country has been before congress a great many times.

There is small prospect of this question of providing housing facilities for the embassies and consulates in the principal cities abroad being taken up at this session of congress for the reason that the men in control of legislation have determined to reduce expenditures. There is the prospect, however, that the committees of the two houses of congress that have to do with foreign affairs will, before this session is over, make a general survey of the diplomatic and consular services with the view to recommending legislation for the betterment of these services. Persons who are proposing improvements in the two services say that although the competitive system is better established than in former years, appointments and promotions to the foreign service should be absolutely free of all political consideration and determined entirely on merit; that entrance examinations should be made more thorough and that great publicity should be given to these examinations so that young men throughout the country may be led to prepare for the foreign service.

U. S. OWNS MANY MERCHANT SHIPS

CONGRESS IS GATHERING INFORMATION ON WHICH TO BASE NEW MARINE POLICY.

BIG FLEET CREATED BY WAR

Most of the Vessels Will Be Retained Under American Flag and Put on Trade Routes to South America and Elsewhere.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—Congress has begun to gather information with the view to deciding on a permanent merchant marine policy for the country. The senate committee on commerce which is conducting the inquiry has already brought out the following facts:

In April, 1917, there were in the United States only 61 shipyards with 234 ways in which vessels of 3,500 deadweight tons could be constructed. In November, 1918, when the armistice was signed, this number had increased to 223 yards with 1,059 ways. In 1917 the United States shipping board emergency fleet corporation launched 106 ships, totalling 708,970 deadweight tons. Of these it delivered complete 49 vessels amounting to 302,115 deadweight tons. In 1918 the emergency fleet corporation launched 812 ships amounting to 4,244,126 deadweight tons, and delivered to the shipping board 532 of these ships completed, representing a tonnage of 3,026,006 deadweight. In 1919 the government launched 1,063 ships, representing 5,982,277 deadweight tons, and actually delivered 1,181 ships with a tonnage of 6,385,123 deadweight. There remain in the war construction program 534 ships of 3,661,757 deadweight tons. These will be completed and delivered by August, 1920.

Will Keep Most of the Fleet.

Besides this the government purchased or contracted with Japan for the building of 45 ships of 372,023 deadweight tons. The total of these Japanese ships actually received and in service is 18, of 148,323 deadweight tons. These activities and the taking over of German and Austrian cargo tonnage has given the United States 8,700,917 deadweight tons of steel ships, 1,799,123 deadweight tons of wooden ships, 63,000 deadweight tons of composite and 10,000 tons of concrete ships, a total tonnage of 10,573,040 deadweight, excluding the 3,661,757 tons to be completed in 1920.

The government has reconveyed to former owners or sold 104 ships rep-

resenting 1,274,371 deadweight tonnage. Some of the ships now in operation it will sell for use by foreign flags, but the fleet as a whole, representing 1,688 ships of 9,298,669 deadweight tons, will be operated under the United States flag as a permanent merchant marine, and will be available to serve the trade routes to South America and other countries.

The demand for ships to win the war—ships to carry men and food to France—was so imperative that passenger ships, as such, were not considered. The result is that the government has much less passenger tonnage than it needs and much less than it would have had, had its fleet been built under peace conditions. It is building 26 passenger ships for delivery this spring. The war and navy departments have turned over to the shipping board 27 ex-German passenger ships, but these, having been made into troop ships, are not in condition to be used for a passenger service until reconconditioned.

Passenger Lines to South America.

The government's present plans for the passenger service to the east coast of South America, as explained to John Barton Payne, chairman of the shipping board, are:

Five steamers, maintaining a two-weekly service between New York, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Buenos Aires. South-bound, these vessels will proceed directly to Rio de Janeiro. North-bound they will call at St. Thomas for fuel. The five vessels selected for this service are all ex-German steamers of 15 knots speed—the Aetolus, Huron, Pocahontas, Dekalb and Princess Matoika. The Huron, Dekalb and Aetolus have been returned from the army and are now being reconconditioned. The Huron is expected to be ready for service in April, and the Dekalb and Aetolus in May. The Princess Matoika and the Pocahontas will be returned from the army shortly. They are all being completely remodeled, and will be converted to burn fuel oil. Their accommodations will be first-class in every respect, and part of their cargo holds will be refrigerated to care for the movement of perishable products.

For the calendar year of 1919, 100 shipping board steamers were dispatched from United States ports to Brazil carrying a total of 444,400 tons of cargo. To the River Plate went 129 steamers with 689,000 tons of cargo. Of these steamers 21 proceeded from the Plate to Europe on their homeward voyages carrying approximately 100,000 tons of cargo and the remainder to the United States with homeward cargoes totalling 588,000 tons. The government is to start a regular monthly service between the River Plate, Antwerp and other European ports in February, and will place on that run refrigerated cargo steamers capable of lifting approximately 3,000 tons of frozen beef.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddied complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms pitomane-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary as it is to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

"Cakes and Beer, and Washing Here"

Before a ramshackle house in a little New England village there used to hang this sign:

"Hiram, the widow's son, I hope
"Can furnish customers with soap,
"Such as will make the washing day
"Pass off as pleasant, e'en as May.
"Cakes, and beer, and washing here."

Hiram had the right idea. He knew that there were people who wanted what he had to sell. The difference between Hiram and the modern advertiser is that the former had to trust to somebody passing to see his sign. He could not bring his sign to everybody.

The modern advertiser with something to sell that he feels you want, saves you the trouble of going to his place to see about it. Readers of advertisements visit all the advertisers at a single sitting.

This is a service that those who advertise are rendering you, just as the clerks they hire, the deliveries they make, are service. They are saving your time, energy and money by bringing their establishments to you through the advertisements.

Read the advertisements with this thought in mind.